

73rd Dundee (Downfield Mains) Rainbows
Trustees' Annual Report and Accounts for the 12 months to 30 June 2026
Scottish Charity Number SCO 54513

Current Trustees

Alison Collin Jacqueline Nicoll Alison Niven

The trustees were in office throughout the period of the account and to the current date.

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Recruitment and appointment of Trustees

The Trustees are the Unit Guide Leader and Assistant Guide Leader, trained and warranted by Girlguiding UK to run the unit, along with the District Commissioner, appointed by Girlguiding Dundee to oversee the units in the area.

Governing Document

The unit and leaders are affiliated to Girlguiding UK and follow their policies and related statement which provide a structure in which Guiding can take place safely, consistently and in accordance with legislation.

Charitable Purposes

73rd Dundee (Downfield Mains) Rainbows exist to enable girls and young women to develop their potential and to make a difference to the world. The aim of Girlguiding is to help girls and young women develop emotionally, mentally, physically and spiritually so that they can make a positive contribution to their community and the wider world.

Activities and Achievements.

The Rainbows have enjoyed working on various aspects of the Girlguiding programme and have received badges throughout the year. We were proud to present our first Bronze and Silver Awards at our Thinking Day Service in February which was well supported by Parents and Friends. They also attended Girlguiding Dundee's Thinking Day event along with units from all over Dundee.

We continued with termly subs this year which included the Annual membership fee so that it was spaced out over the year. Parents seem to prefer this and it is easier for accounting and has had a positive effect on our finances allowing us to pay Annual subscriptions to Girlguiding without worry.

The girls enjoyed a joint Hallowe'en party and Easter Fun Night with the Brownies and Guides as well as their own Christmas Party with a visit from Santa Claus.

We also attended a special Girlguiding Screening of Zootropolis 2 at the Odeon Cinema. '221we Our end of session treat for the girls was a Teddy Bears Picnic to celebrate Winnie the Pooh's 100th Birthday. They also completed the Winnie the Pooh Challenge Badge.

Two of our Rainbows moved on to Brownies after the Easter break and we have another 6 ready to go after the summer holidays so we look forward to welcoming new girls from our waiting list at the start of the new session.

We were very lucky to receive two different grants during the year. One for £607 from Dundee Partnership to provide resources for use within the unit which was very welcome.

The other was for £1340 from the Corra Foundation as part of their Make it Happen Scheme. This money has been held over to support either the purchase of new uniform and books for the girls or to provide bespoke unit wear whichever seems the most cost effective.

Trustee Remuneration and Expenses

The Trustees did not receive any remuneration or expenses during the year.

Reserves

The unit held funds of £2353.76 as at 30 June 2026, all of which was for unrestricted purposes, and was carried forward to meet running costs in the following year.

Approved by Trustees and signed on their behalf by :

Signed Alison M Collin

Date 1/7/2026

73rd Dundee Rainbows (Downfield Mains) Statement of Balance at 30 June 2026

SC 035648.2022.1	Unrestricted Funds 2026		Unrestricted Funds 2025
Bank and Cash Balances :			
Bank and Cash Balances Brought Forward	£836.45		£672.60
Movement in Year :			
Excess of Receipts over payments for the year	£1517.31		163.85
Bank and Cash Balances Brought Forward	£2353.76		£836.45
Approved by Trustees and signed on their behalf by :			
Signed Alison Collin			
Date 2/7/2026			

Table 1

		GIRLGUIDING			73rd (City of) Dundee Rainbows				SCO		54513			
		RECEIPTS & PAYMENTS ACCOUNT FOR THE PERIOD FROM						1-Jul-25		TO	30-Jun-26			
		INDEPENDENT EXAMINATION CERTIFICATE												
		I have examined the Trustees' Report, the Units Accounting records, and the Receipts & Payments												
		Account and Statement of Balances that are attached as part of this document.												
		My examination has been carried out under Section 44(1)(c) of the Charities & Trustee Investment (Scotland) Act 2005.												
		To the best of my knowledge & belief, and in accordance with the information & explanations given to me :												
		a) The charity trustees consider that the audit requirement of Regulation 10(1)(d) of the Charities Accounts (Scotland)												
		Regulations 2006 does not apply and therefore the Unit is eligible to have an independent examination.												
		b) The Receipts & Payments Account and Statement of Balances have been properly												
		prepared from the records of the Unit and are in agreement with them,												
		c) The Receipts & Payments Account & Statement of Balances comply with Regulation 9												
		of the 2006 Accounts Regulations and with the Unit's effective Constitution.												
		d) * In the course of my examination, no matter has come to my attention which gives me												
		reasonable cause to believe that in any material respect, the requirements of Section 33 of the												
		2005 Act and Regulations 4 and 9 of the 2006 Accounts Regulations have not been met.												
						or								
		Signed Lianda Barnes									Date 7/7/2026			
		Name	Lianda Barnes											
		Address	23 Baldovan Road		Dundee	DD3 8EA								